

Math 592D. Math in Biology.
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Course Web Page: <http://www.csun.edu/~ac53971/courses/math592D/>

Textbook: The following text is recommended (it is available at the Matador Bookstore)

- *Mathematical Models in Biology* (Cambridge UP) by E. Allman and J. Rhodes

Homework: Late homework is accepted; however, it will be penalized at a rate of 10% per day. There will also be a penalty for not turning in homework.

Exams: There will be two midterms exams on the following dates

- First Midterm: Thursday, March 10
- Second Midterm: Thursday, April 28

Final Project: In place of the final exam, you will write a paper on a project related to the class material. A project could be based on a topic in the textbook that was not (fully) covered in class. It is a good idea to start planning your project early in the semester.

Grades: Your final grade will be determined as follows

- 25% Homework
- 25% Each of the 2 midterms
- 25% Final Project

I will use +/- when assigning your final grade.

Cooperation: You are encouraged to collaborate with others in working on anything in this course, but what you put down in your homework assignments must be your own. If it is something that has emerged from work with other people, write down their names. Ideas and material that has come out from other people or other sources should be given proper attribution or reference.

